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UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Toshihide ITO et al.

CASE: 200335-0037

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FOR: Sn-Ag-Cu SOLDER AND SURFACE TREATMENT
AND PARTS MOUNTING METHODS USING THE
SAME

) Group Art Unit: 1742

) Examiner: SIKYIN IP

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